

2012 CRAB TRAP RODEOS

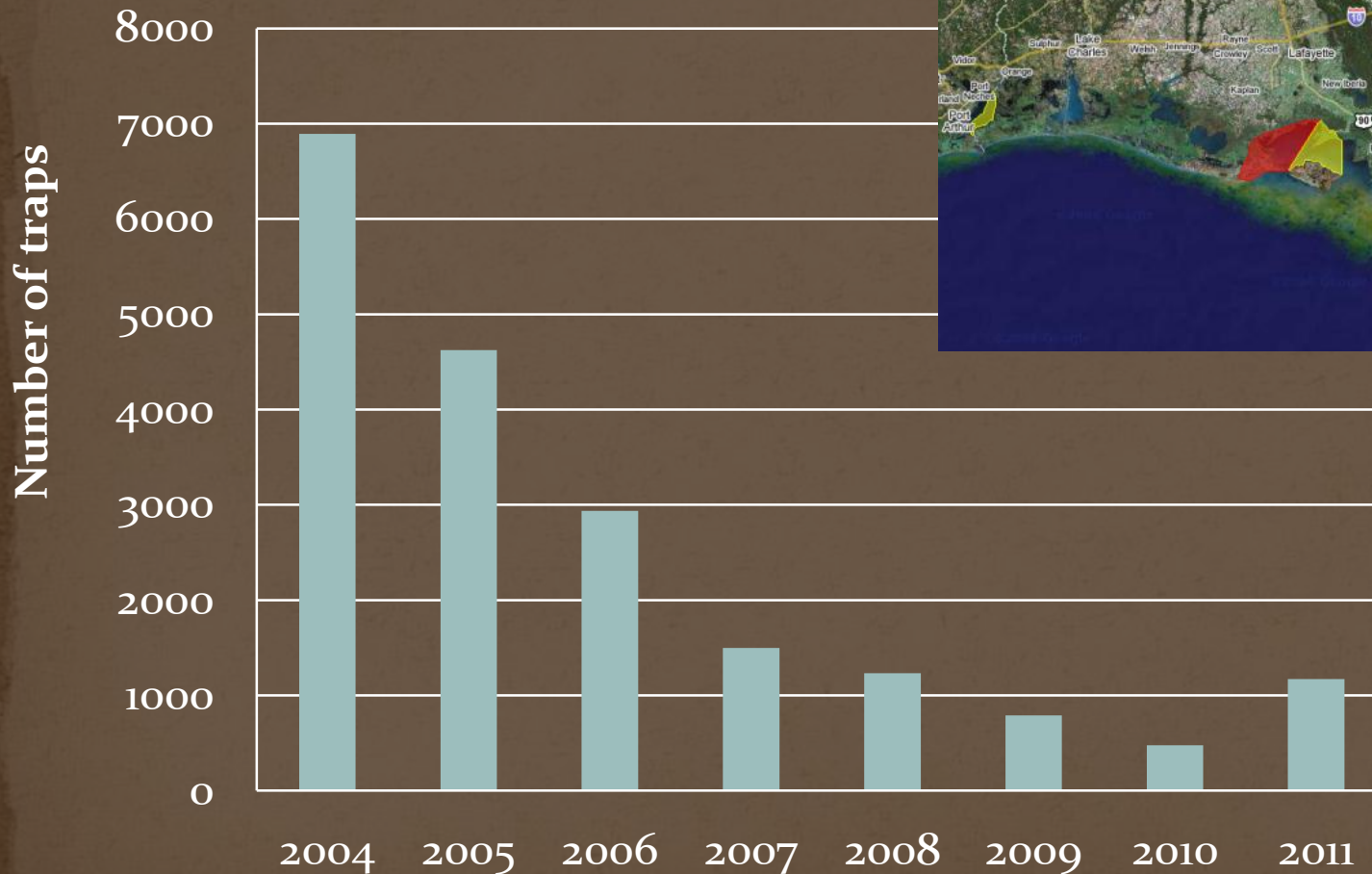


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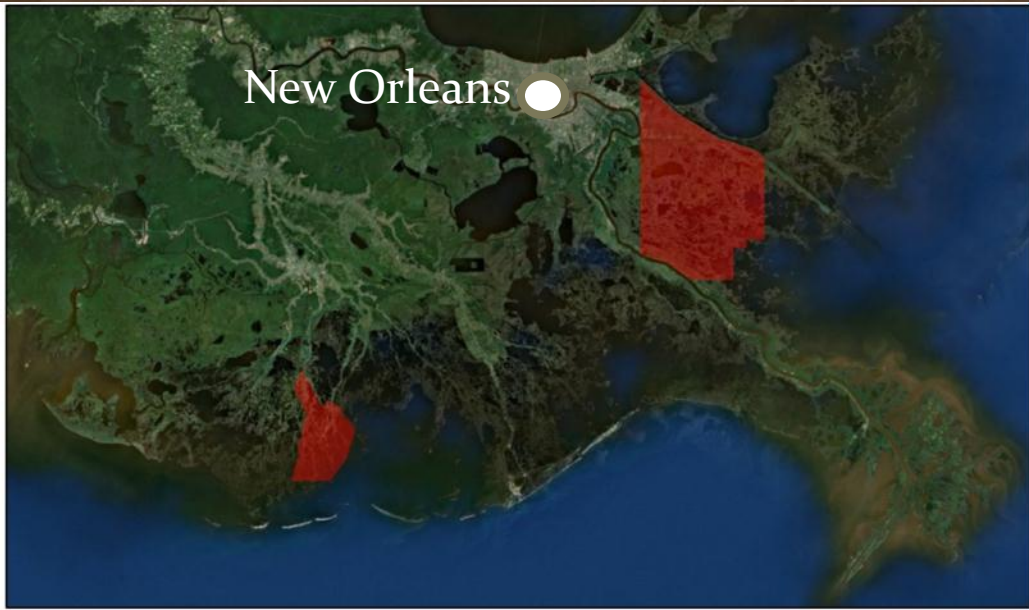
Derelict Crab Trap Removal Program



*2011 Company was hired for oiled regions



New Orleans ●



Terrebonne Bay Estuary



Pontchartrain Estuary



Weather- Delacroix

- February 25



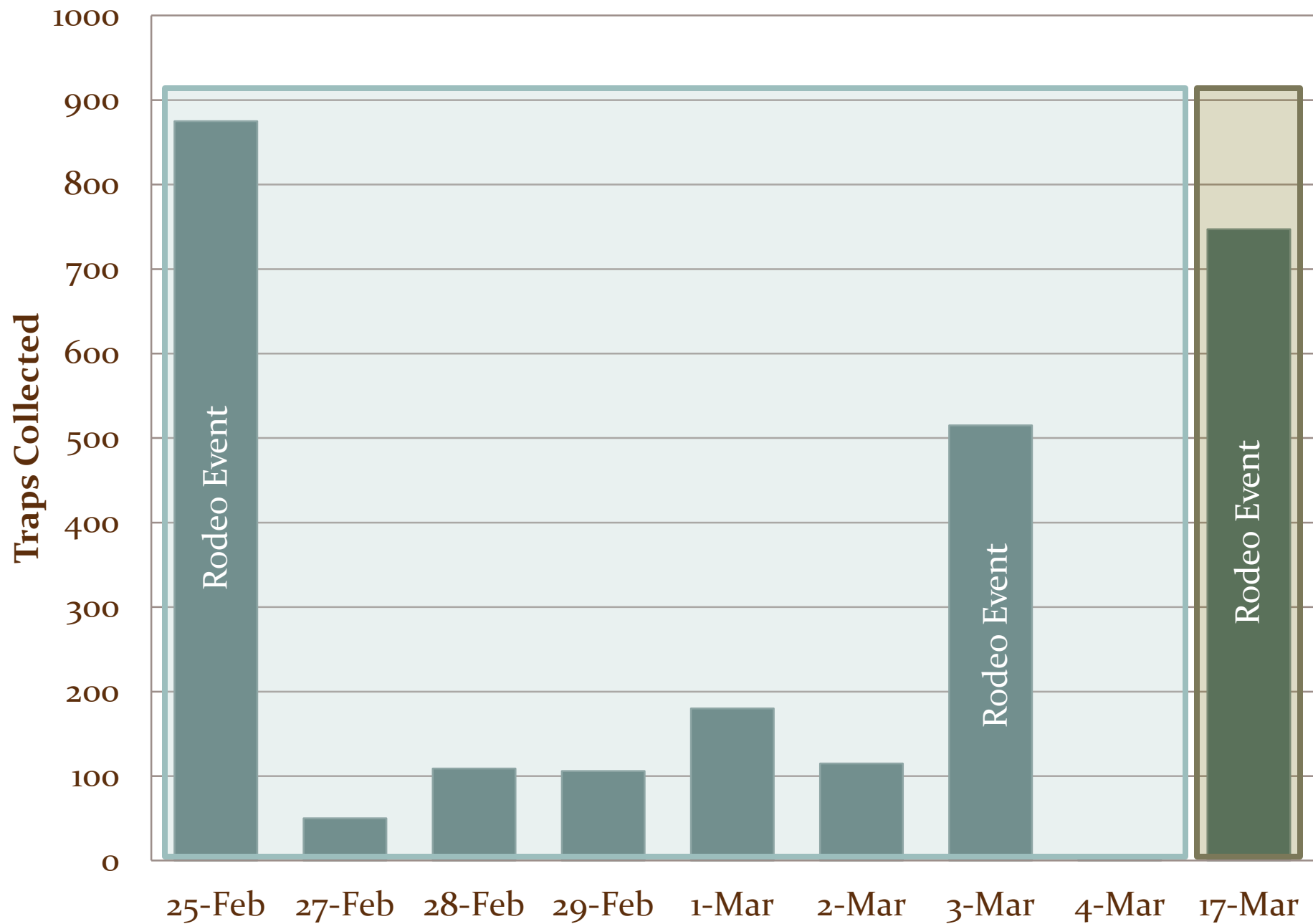
- March 3



Weather- LUMCON

- March 17





2,708 Traps (Highest since 2006)



310 Volunteers

66 boats

National Fish and Wildlife Foundation
Louisiana Department of Wildlife and
Fisheries

LSU

CCA

Louisiana Sea Grant

LSU AgCenter

The Nature Conservancy

LUMCON

Crab Task Force

BNTEP

Commercial Crabbers & Processors

Nichols State

Sweetwater Marina

NOAA



Recycled some of the metal
200,000+ Acres





Outreach for prevention

- Retie lines
- Don't set recreational in high flow
- Any ideas are welcome!
- Banners, temporary tatoos, coozies, debris collection bags, kid size trap



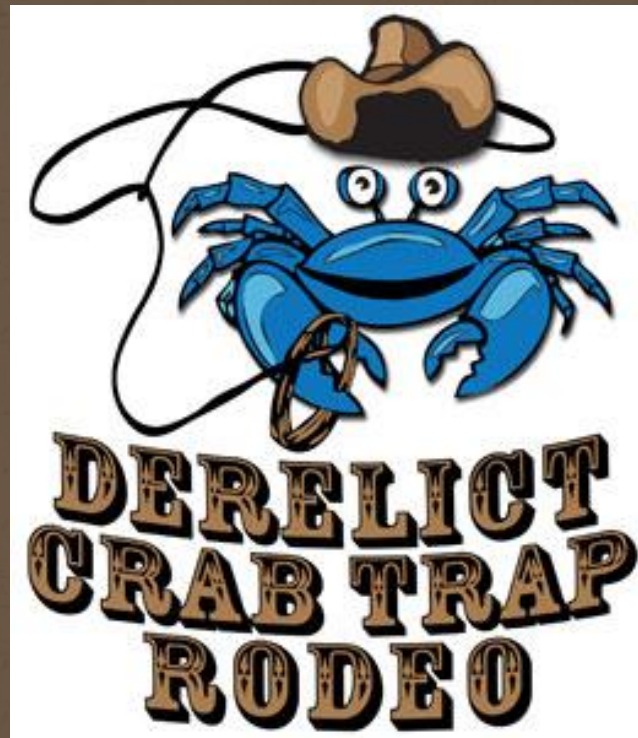


Reporting Database

- Have you lost any traps?
- Over 2,000 currently reported
- From Isaac or for any reason
 - First time quantify the hurricane loss
 - Help AgCenter Econ
- How to report:
 - <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/LMHYN7P>
 - Link from rodeo website
 - Call it in: 225-578-6352 for an automated system



Questions?



<http://www.laseagrant.org/crabtraps/>

